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SUBJECT: EC CONTRIBUTION TO THE INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR AGRICULTURE  
DEVELOPMENT (IFAD)

1. BEGIN SUMMARY: SINCE THE DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL OF OCTOBER 13, THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY HAS MADE PROGRESS WITH REGARD TO ITS CONTRIBUTION TO THE IFAD; HOWEVER, OUR SOURCES INDICATE THAT THE COMMUNITY IS NOT YET IN A POSITION TO PLACE A FIGURE ON ITS CONTRIBUTION AND WILL, AT THE "PLEDGING" MEETING ON OCTOBER 27, MERELY INDICATE THAT IT IS THE COMMUNITY'S INTENTION" TO PARTICIPATE ADEQUATELY" IN THE FUND. END SUMMARY.

2. SOURCES HERE HAVE TOLD US THAT THE FRG HAS DROPPED ITS OBJECTION IN PRINCIPLE TO A COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION TO THE IFAD PROVIDED THAT ANY SUCH CONTRIBUTION REMAINS OUTSIDE THE EC BUDGET PROCESS. ON THE OTHER HAND, ITALY, HAS SAID IT WILL BE HARD PRESSED TO AGREE TO ANY EC CONTRIBUTION UNLESS IT IS PLACED WITHIN THE BUDGET. FRANCE HAS NOT YET GIVEN ITS AGREEMENT TO A COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION EITHER IN OR OUT OF THE BUDGET.

3. AS A RESULT OF THIS CONTINUING DISCUSSION, EC REPRESENTATIVES AT THE "PLEDGING" CONFERENCE ON OCTOBER 27

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WILL NOT BE ABLE TO INDICATE THE PRECISE LEVEL OF

COMMUNITY SUPPORT. IT HAS BEEN AGREED, HOWEVER, THAT  
THEY MAY SAY IT IS THE COMMUNITY'S INTENTION TO  
CONTRIBUTE "ADEQUATELY" TO THE FUND. THE EC COMMITTEE  
OF PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES (COREPER) WILL CONSIDER  
THE ENTIRE QUESTION FURTHER, BUT ONLY AFTER OCTOBER 28.  
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